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Dear Sir:

This Communication is filed in furtherance of the Supplemental Petition mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 31, 2006.

Enclosed with this Communication is a copy of a Rule 63 Declaration executed by Niels-Soren Bogh on December 21, 2004 and Martin Egede Nielsen on September 14, 2006.

The signature of Martin Egede Nielsen in the Rule 63 Declaration appears to be conditioned upon a particular restriction of the use of the invention. It is submitted that a restriction on the use of the invention is improper for purposes of a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.163. Because the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.163 have been satisfied, it is submitted that the restriction of use expressed on the last page of the Declaration should be ignored and considered ineffective.

Respectfully submitted,

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